MLN Matters Number: SE0620 Related Change Request (CR) #: N/A

Related CR Release Date: N/A Effective Date: N/A

Related CR Transmittal #: N/A Implementation Date: N/A

Announcing a New Name for Medicare's Provider Education Articles – MLN Matters

Provider Types Affected

All Medicare physicians, providers, and suppliers

Background

The Medicare Learning Network is pleased to announce a new name for our very popular provider education articles. To more closely associate these articles with the Medicare Learning Network, i.e., the official educational information source for Medicare Fee-for-Service (FFS) providers, the articles previously known as "Medlearn Matters" articles will now be known as "MLN Matters" articles (the MLN standing for "Medicare Learning Network").

You will also notice a new logo at the top of the articles indicating the name change. The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) knows that you have come to rely on these articles to help you more easily understand new or changed Medicare policy and to help you gain quick access to accurate Medicare program information.

The articles can now be accessed from

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles on the CMS web site. If you have previously bookmarked the "Medlearn Matters" page, please update your bookmark to the new URL.

We hope that you will continue to utilize these articles that are always prepared with the affected provider audience in mind.

In conjunction with the above referenced change, the urls for the Medicare Learning Network (MLN) web pages have also been changed. You can reach our MLN web pages from the cms.hhs.gov main page - just click on "Outreach and Education." The full URLs to access the various MLN sections on the CMS web site are:

MLN General Information – http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNGenInfo

Disclaimer

This article was prepared as a service to the public and is not intended to grant rights or impose obligations. This article may contain references or links to statutes, regulations, or other policy materials. The information provided is only intended to be a general summary. It is not intended to take the place of either the written law or regulations. We encourage readers to review the specific statutes, regulations and other interpretive materials for a full and accurate statement of their contents.

MLN Products - http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts

Additional Information

Also, note that if you know the specific number of an article you are after, such as SE0620, you can go directly to the specific URL for an article by using the format below. For example, the web site for SE0620 is

http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNMattersArticles/downloads/SE0620.pdf.

For any other article, just substitute its number for the SE0620 in this URL to go directly to the PDF version of the article on the CMS web site.

Disclaime

This article was prepared as a service to the public and is not intended to grant rights or impose obligations. This article may contain references or links to statutes, regulations, or other policy materials. The information provided is only intended to be a general summary. It is not intended to take the place of either the written law or regulations. We encourage readers to review the specific statutes, regulations and other interpretive materials for a full and accurate statement of their contents.